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Poultry Programs

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CONSUMER PACK CHICKENS, INVITATION NO. 2, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-276

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen consumer pack chickens as indicated below and per the Announcement for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Nov. 10. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Nov. 14. Deliveries are to be made from Jan. 1 to March 31, 2004.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen U.S. Grade A ready-to-cook young chickens, with neck and giblets. Individual chickens must weigh 3 to 4.25 pounds (1.36 to 1.93 kg) per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be commercially labeled and packed in individual plastic-film bags with 10-12 chickens per fiberboard shipping container. An individual shipping container must weigh 36 to 44 pounds (16.33 to 19.96 kg). A purchase unit will total 39,600 pounds (17,962 kg).

**All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.**

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-276, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Consumer Pack Chickens dated July 2003, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-276, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY276  
INVITATION : 002  
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN  
COMM TYPE : 51 CHICKEN, FROZEN WHOLE BAGGED  
PACK SIZE : 36 36-43 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/04 - 01/15/04

001	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
002	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
003	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	29,600
	SPRINGFIELD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
004	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	29,600
	URBANA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
005	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
006	AUSTIN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
007	MCALLEN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
008	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
009	LINCOLN	NE		39,600

DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/04 - 01/31/04

010	JACKSONVILLE/FAS (PUERTO RICO)	FL	FAS	39,600
011	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
012	FORT WORTH	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
013	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
014	CONCORDIA	KS	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
015	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600

DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/04 - 02/15/04

016	WINTER HAVEN	FL		39,600
017	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
018	PEORIA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	12,000
	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	27,600
019	SPRINGFIELD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	ST CHARLES	IL	TRUCK ONLY	29,600
020	ST CHARLES	IL	TRUCK ONLY	29,600
	URBANA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000

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DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/04 - 02/15/04

021	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	TRUCK ONLY	79,200
022	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
023	TOLEDO	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
024	EAU CLAIRE	WI		39,600
025	MADISON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
026	BEAUMONT	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
027	ODESSA	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
028	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	9,900
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	29,700
029	OAKLAND	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,800
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,800
030	SAN JOSE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600

DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/04 - 03/15/04

031	WINTER HAVEN	FL		39,600
032	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
033	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	29,600
	URBANA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
034	SPRINGFIELD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	ST CHARLES	IL	TRUCK ONLY	29,600
035	AKRON	OH	TRUCK ONLY	25,740
	YOUNGSTOWN	OH	TRUCK ONLY	13,860
036	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
037	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
038	MILWAUKEE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
039	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
040	MCALLEN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600

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041	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
042	ST CHARLES	IL	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	19,600
043	SAN JOSE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600

DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/04 - 03/31/04

044	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
045	FORT WORTH	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
046	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	39,600

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,861,200

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Contracting Officer

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